



MISS MARY PETERSON, 1953 HOMECOMING QUEEN, smiles prettily after being crowned by Miss Virginia Christie, 1952 Homecoming Queen at the Variety Show last Friday evening. In the picture are (l-r) Ione O'Donovan, Joan Kobe, Beth Stewart, Miss Peterson, Nancy Rasche, Nancy Abrahamson and Miss Christie. —(Photo by Berg)

## Mary Peterson Crowned; Hogquist Tops in Talent

Amid tremendous applause at the Variety Show last Friday night, pretty Mary Peterson was crowned Homecoming Queen for 1953-54. Miss Peterson was selected by student ballot from five other candidates: Joan Kobe, Nancy Abrahamson, Beth Stewart, Nancy Rasche and Ione O'Donovan.

Baritone Donald Hogquist, who sang "Old Man River," won the first place prize of fifty dollars. Hogquist was accompanied by Douglas Dybvig. He sang "Trees" for an encore. Second prize was awarded to Dick Engstrom, also a baritone, and third place went to the Gamma Theta Phi fraternity for their skit.

Dick Gay, general chairman of the Homecoming festivities, was present at the show to welcome the audience. He introduced the master of ceremonies for the evening, Dennis LaRoque who kept the audience in good humor with a wide variety of jokes.

Ludell Lindquist opened the night's events by singing "With a Song in My Heart." A skit with Delwin Cahoon, Dale Hagen and Tom Johnson followed. Ronald Shoberg, Don Olsen and Jim Benton played western music. Don Sundin impersonated Hollywood characters and Jean Holmstrand did an exhibition Lindy with Gordon Brockway. Grant Merritt and Tom Johnson added a bit of humor with their renditions satirizing radio programs.

The entire show was patterned after that of Arthur Godfrey's Talent Scouts, with each performer having a scout introduce him to the audience. The winner was selected by audience applause with Mr. Falk assisting Dennis LaRoque in reading the applause meter.

## WAA Joint Sponsor for Federation Convention

Today and tomorrow the WAA of UMD and the College of St. Scholastica will hold the annual convention of the Minnesota Athletic Federation for College Women.

Each of the 19 schools will be represented by two delegates. Betty Ann McCall and Darlene Melander are UMD's delegates; Carmen Kehtel, of UMD, and Marlene Pinten, College of St. Scholastica, are co-presidents of the convention.

A box will be in the Lutheran Welfare Center, 1730 East Superior Street for clothes that you want to give to the unfortunates of other countries. The box will remain until November 29. Clean clothes such as dresses, coats, pants, underwear, shoes (tie them together), socks, blankets and towels will be accepted. Do not include any military garments. The articles received will be sent to Jordan, Korea, Germany and Eastern countries.

Co-Rec swimming will get under way with the first pool party open to all students 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. today.

Swimming permits are required before students will be allowed in the pool. Swim suits have arrived and will be provided by the University for student use.

## Experts Interpret World Affairs

Four countries which figure prominently in the realms of world affairs will be represented by four prominent men who are to share the speaker's platform in Main auditorium at 11 a.m., Thursday, October 29. France, Iran, Germany and the Philippines are the special fields of the four speakers who make up "The World Affairs Council," now touring this area under the sponsorship of the Concert, Theatre and Lecture Service of the University of Minnesota.

A miniature UN security council, the group has discussed world affairs to the delight of audiences throughout the United States. Each man, drawing from an excellent background in world affairs, presents the information with which he is most familiar, launching the speaking quartet into analyses, exchanges of opinion, or heated controversy, as the case may be. The group follows no set lecture routine, instead deals with whatever happens to be of current concern.

Each member of the council has served ably in positions demanding expert knowledge of political and social issues. France's post on the council is held by the Honorable Camille Chautemps, four times premier of France. Chautemps' political career dates from 1912, the year in which he was elected mayor of Tours. Before rising to the position of premier, he had gained wide experience as a rep-

## UMD Authorized to Confer MA For Graduate Work in Education

Under plans announced today by Provost R. W. Darland and Dean Theodore C. Blegen of the University of Minnesota, it now will be possible for teachers in the northern part of the state to complete selected graduate programs for the master of arts degree at the Duluth Branch of the University.

This study plan, which has been developed gradually in recent years, has been set up to serve elementary school teachers and principals, secondary school teachers, and rural teachers. In the

past, such teachers could complete part of the advanced degree requirements in Duluth, but had to take the balance of the required work on the Minneapolis campus.

With the developments of staff and specialized work at the Duluth Branch, the executive committee of the graduate school has authorized the offering of the full program leading to the master of arts degree with majors in education or in curriculum and instruction, effective immediately.

In commenting upon this plan, President Morrill stated: "The extension of the graduate program at the Duluth Branch to encompass the master's degree has my cordial approval and endorsement. The program, built on solid foundations and after very careful joint planning by the graduate school and the Duluth Branch, marks a major step forward in the relationships of the Duluth Branch and our graduate school."

Dean Blegen, who has guided the development of the program, said: "Under Dr. Darland's leadership, our master's program at the Duluth Branch will, I am confident, prove an outstanding success. It will serve important and compelling needs with high educational purposes and standards. The unanimous action of the executive committee of the graduate school is a measure of our confidence in the integrity of the program and the ability of the Duluth staff. I congratulate Dr. Darland and the Duluth Branch on this opportunity to meet more fully the educational needs of northeastern Minnesota and thus to strengthen the service of the graduate school and the University as a whole to the people of the state."

Dr. Darland described the program in the following way: "The opportunity to complete all the requirements for the master of arts degree through work taken on the Duluth Branch campus represents the most important academic development since the branch was established in 1947. Northeastern Minnesota teachers especially will welcome this new opportunity at Duluth. The master of arts degree will contribute much to the total services UMD can offer this region. In authorizing the degree, the graduate school recognizes that the Duluth Branch has attained a new milestone in academic maturity."

## 'Soc Hop' Scheduled After Augsburg Game

"Soc-Hop" is the name selected for the Halloween dance scheduled after the UMD-Augsburg football game Saturday, Oct. 31. Dancing to the music of the Blue Notes will last from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the main gym.

The Inter Fraternity Sorority Council is sponsoring the dance. Bernie Dinner is chairman; admission is by activity card.

## Cadets To Begin Pre-Flight Program

Sophomore air science cadets will soon begin their program of individual flights with members of the command staff of the ROTC, Colonel Louis J. LaBarre has announced.

Each cadet will be taken for an hour flight over the Twin Ports and the surrounding country with a good portion of each hour given to the cadet to actually handle the controls and learn the feel of flying.

This pre-flight program began last year to at least give the basic cadets an experience in flight before they made their choice of entering the flight option of the advanced corps.

Assisting Col. LaBarre in this flight program will be Major Donald F. Rhodes, Capt. Ray H. Christy and Capt. Mark T. McDonnell.



DR. DARLAND

## LSA Cops Parade Honors

LSA won top honors in the UMD homecoming parade for the second year with their float "Chomp the Toms." The float was decorated with a turkey representing St. Thomas, being carved by two Bulldogs.

Second place honors again went to the Newman Club. Their float had a gigantic boot with St. Thomas players lying under it on the playing field. Mu Delta Pi won the third place trophy.

### SELECTIVE SERVICE TESTS

Applications for the college qualification tests are now available at OSPS or local selective service boards, Mr. Tamminen announced today. It is to the student's advantage to file an application soon, regardless of whether he will take the test November 19, or April 22.

representative and senator, by filling several cabinet posts during the years of 1924-40. He had also been minister of state and vice president of France.

Iran is ably represented by Dr. Elgin Groseclose, author of "Ar-

## Symphony Orchestra Opens Season Tonight

Under the baton of Hermann Herz the Duluth Symphony orchestra will present its initial concert of the season 8:30 p.m. today, Friday, in Duluth Armory.

Robert Merrill, baritone of the Metropolitan Opera association, is guest soloist and will interpret in his appearance arias from "Don Carlo," Verdi, and "Faust," Gounod, as well as selections from "The Barber of Seville," Rossini.

Among orchestral selections by the symphony orchestra are the overture to "Egmont," Beethoven, and Symphony in B Flat Major, Chausson.

Tickets for seven concerts planned during the 1953-54 season have been purchased by the University and are available to UMD students free of charge.

The Chronicle sales campaign will begin Monday, Nov. 2, according to Robert Brabec, Chron business manager. The total cost is \$2.00 and the student has the choice of either paying the full price immediately or paying one dollar now and one dollar when the books arrive in the spring.

arat," "The Firedrake," and "The Persian Journey." His special knowledge of Iran is indicated by his having served as treasurer general of that country. Well-versed in economic problems, Dr. Groseclose has been on the staff of Time as its expert on economics, and has been financial editor of Fortune. Dr. Groseclose returned only recently from one of his many tours of the Near East and Middle East, so brings to the platform first-hand knowledge of the present status of that fast-changing sector of the world.

Philippine panelist Melchior Aquino brings with him a richly varied experience as a delegate to the UN. He has served on the Sub-Commission on Freedom of Information and the important Far Eastern Commission as well as in several other capacities. An ex-newspaperman, Aquino began as a reporter for the Philippine Herald, and later was on the editorial staff of the Manila Evening News.

Germany's contribution to the circle of experts is Peter von Zahn, Washington correspondent of the North West German Radio Corporation, the largest German radio network. He is heard regularly by an audience of five million Germans. Von Zahn began his present work after having helped the British convert the Radio of Military Government in Hamburg into a German station, shortly after the close of World War II.



## EDITORIAL

The letters to the Editor this week make known the overall student reaction to the cafeteria situation. It is apparent that a problem exists, and some kind of statement is due the students. Our new Social Welfare Commission, under Commissioner Dick Gay, is working on this unfortunate incident that makes the windows of Torrance Hall look like a row of tenement houses with various foodstuffs lined along the window sills.

A word should be said about the letters to the editor. We believe that one function of a campus newspaper is to express student opinion. We think that letters that complain or accuse should be signed.

Letters of this type should show signs of investigation, too. Letters must be in good taste to be printed and we will not publish any letter that may hurt a person or persons unjustly.

## Campus Yarns by Will Sweney

Whew! Homecoming is finally over, and we can turn to our studies again and ask ourselves: I wonder how long it will take to make up the week's work that I have let go? There are so many extra things that are not only fun to participate in, but also instructive, that it is hard to reach a proper balance between scholastic obligations and outside interests. This is especially so during so big an event as homecoming.

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Don't you think that it is time that something was done about cafeteria prices? In my opinion, the prices that they are charging, are ridiculously high. I base this opinion partially upon comparison with the prices that were charged last year. A friend and I priced a supper that we bought this year, compared it with a similar one from last year, and found on comparison, that the new price was approximately 40 per cent higher! Now I cannot see how this can be plausibly explained—food prices have not increased that much in the last three months, nor has the quality of the food been sufficiently increased to warrant such a raise in prices. Perhaps there is an explanation—if there is, I feel that the students desire to be informed of it.

When a man can afford to go downtown, get an excellent meal, and pay no more (and sometimes less) than he does at our cafeteria, he will go. I think that it is a bad thing as far as school spirit and student unity are concerned. How can we ever expect to become more than a mere "streetcar campus," if we can't even get together on such an important thing as eating?

Another shortcoming that I think should be corrected, is the fact that they do not serve any meals except breakfast (and who gets up for breakfast anyway?) on week-ends. This is very inconvenient for non-resident students!

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The Inter-Fraternity Sorority Council is putting on a sock-hop on Halloween night after the Augsburg game, in the gym of old Main. As far as I know, this is the first big dance of this type to be held at UMD. It could be a lot of fun, and will be if the students support it.

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The girls from Torrance must be trying to revolt against current women's fashions—at least the costumes that they were wearing a week ago yesterday were unusual, to say the least. They wore two different colored socks; they had pajama bottoms showing beneath their skirts; and all sorts of strange designs painted on their faces. I can't wait to see what they will think up next.

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# Opportunities Await Teachers

The UMD Teacher Placement Service, is just exactly what the name implies, that is, it's purpose is to place teachers in jobs. This service is optional and, sometimes, due to various factors such as the military service or marriage, graduates do not desire placement; however, all teachers that have wanted jobs have been placed, most of them very early in the season.

A total of eighty-one UMD graduates were placed during the period between 1950 and 1952, and sixty-nine of the 1953 graduates have been placed. This shows that the scope of the Teacher Placement Service has been greatly widened, and also reflects the fact that the UMD student body is much larger today.

Most of the teachers that have been placed, have found their jobs in Minnesota, the city of Duluth itself employing the greatest percentage of these. Teachers in the past, however, have also been placed in thirteen other states, so the service is not restricted to those who desire to teach in the state.

Graduates with a four-year degree in elementary teaching, have received the largest beginning salaries, the mean being \$3,271; secondary teachers were the second highest paid, the mean salary there being \$3,266; and those with a two-year teaching certificate received the lowest, their mean beginning salary being \$2,637.

"The fact that the elementary teachers are receiving slightly higher beginning salaries at the present time, is not quite relevant," Dr. Wheat informed me, "for that is merely a temporary thing, caused by the current shortage of elementary teachers, and that in the future, when things return to normal, secondary teachers will be the higher paid."

Dr. Wheat also drew my attention to the fact that wages paid to teachers, are rapidly becoming better. "In the last five years," he said, "the beginning salary has been between \$100 and \$150 greater each year than that of the preceding." He also stated that he expected this upward trend to continue for at least another ten years.

The highest beginning salary that was paid to any teacher,

was \$4,800, and the lowest that was paid, was \$2,500. The mean average salary for all teachers placed was \$3,058. Broken down into monthly salary, it is \$338.66 per month; and broken further into weeks, it becomes \$85.66 a week, which are pretty good wages in any man's language.

It seems to me that a familiar "pity the poor teacher" phrase, is no longer valid for a teacher has a forty-hour week, they only work nine months out of the year, their salaries are fair in comparison with the wages of the average American worker and the job opportunities are numerous.

The teaching profession offers fair wages, security and much personal satisfaction. If these are the things that you want in life, then teaching is a career worth considering.



MISS ANTOINETTE SPALLACCI, UMD FRESHMAN, interviews Dr. Leonard Wheat of the Education Department to find out what the teaching field has to offer in regard to wages and opportunities in that profession.  
—(Photo by Berg)

## The Editor's Mailbox

To the Editor,

Everyone's grumbling, but no real action has been taken in regard to the prices charged by our cafeteria.

Compare their menu to any menu in a downtown establishment and the prices in our cafeteria appear ridiculous.

For example, one roll in our cafeteria costs 8 cents (without butter)—that would be 96 cents per dozen—you can buy these same rolls for 45-55 cents per dozen at any bakery. And yet our cafeteria is supposed to be non-profit.

If you try to select a well balanced meal it costs you a fortune, so we go along eating 15-cent hot dogs in place of a half-a-plate of spaghetti for 35 cents.

The menu also includes:  
Salads .....17c  
ONE meatball .....17c  
Small piece of squash with pork sausage .....38c  
Small piece of fat ham ...50c

Prices like these make our blood boil and our pockets empty—as well as our stomachs.

As students we can only complain and let our Student Council Commissioner of Student Welfare, Dick Gay, make our complaints known—which Dick is doing.

Let's hope the administration will heed our complaints and take action promptly before we all go broke as well as hungry.

One of many complaining voices,

Carol Ink.

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To the Editor:

Young girls are told that the best way to a man's heart is through his stomach. One educational institution should be told that the best way to a student's head is also through his or her stomach.

Two questions come to my head. The first is whether the UMD cafeteria is interested in the students who have to make use of its services? Secondly, is the cafeteria a non-profit organization or not? Both questions are related by one thing, prices.

If the UMD cafeteria is interested in the students who have to eat there from lack of any other facilities in the immediate area, then it is my opinion that the ratio between prices and

quantity, or quality, would be equalized. And perhaps a better arrangement would be made for students who stay at the university over the weekends.

If the UMD cafeteria is a non-profit organization then I wish someone would please inform me as I would never have guessed from the price of the SWEDISH MEATBALLS—17 cents per—or from the subsequent raise in price the following day. If it is not on a non-profit basis, then a check should be made of other eating places in the city which provide better meals at the same price or equivalent meals at lower prices.

After the fine orientation program accorded to new students, it is a shame that they and other students should be shown the other side of UMD. It is without a doubt that the administration realizes the problem and is trying to correct it, but until it is corrected, TONY'S will do a landoffice business.

Sincerely yours,  
Thomas Sjogren.

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To the Editor,

As part of the last echoes of our homecoming celebration, I would like to hand out a few plaudits and acknowledgements. I am very grateful to the various chairmen and those who worked under them. I want to thank the student body, particularly the class of '57, for supporting the activities so wholeheartedly. We had a few superlatives: sold more buttons than in any other campaign, had the finest varsity show we have seen in a long time and had a bigger vote cast for queen than in the recent council election.

Most of my appreciation, however, must go out to the team, who for more than half of the game gave us a very superior brand of ball. I am sure we all are very proud that in the last moments of the game, though tired and worn out physically, they did not quit but continued to try to give what they didn't have. I hope they didn't feel the students had let them down.

Remember, if you didn't like this year's homecoming, stick around, it will probably be better next year.

Dick Gay,  
Homecoming Chairman.

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** Good	* Average

### REPERTORY PLAYERS \* \* \*

Spanning, even by easy stages, the gamut of theatrical developments from early Greek tragedy to Broadway musical is a taxing assignment for the most experienced and accomplished actors; to be true to the varying historical periods as well as to the characterizations of each vehicle is not an undertaking lightly to be assumed. Compressing this exacting chronology into a convocation hour makes the assignment even more complicated.

The Repertory Players addressed themselves to such a task last week with commendable success. This capable trio from the boards of the University of Minnesota used lively imagination and charming ingenuity; that the audience responded well to the varying moods of the program was adequate proof of its entertainment and engrossment.

UMD drama followers were especially taken by the contributions of a Duluth player, Kay Onsgard, whose performances in "I Remember Mama" (University Theater), "Up in Central Park" (Community Theater), are among many Duluth roles, remembered with pleasure.

William Hillard, St. Paul, a graduate student in English and speech, and John Borchardt, Alma City, Wis., a graduate student in drama, completed the cast. Hillard cut his teeth on the footlights of the Edith Bush theater in the Twin Cities as a perceptive juvenile, and Borchardt has been daubing greasepaint since high school days.

In stepping from the Orestian gloom of the recognition scene of Sophocles' "Electra" to the ribaldry of "The Shoemaker's Wife" with all of its spoof and frolic, then to the mute madcappery of Italian pantomime comedy, and finally to the lilting measures of "Oklahoma," this versatile threesome did well to remember into which costume to change next, let alone perform creditably in each role. That a kitten walked, ogling like an oaf viewing Gotham's sights the first time, through the set during their performance in Onamia, Minn., likely has contributed nothing to their composure during this tour.

The Repertory Players must come again, but let their selection be less exhaustive and exhausting. An adequate history of the theater must be left to the written word, and even an abbreviated history on the living stage must give the performers time to catch their breath.

Tom Johnson rates a row of stars in his own right for his first appearance as student commissioner of convocations.



# Meet The Homecoming Queen

By TOM SJOGREN

The Lloyd Peterson family of UMD scored the "hat trick" in the 1953 Homecoming festivities with Mr. Peterson coaching the football team to a close but losing 16-14 decision; son Jim turning in a fine performance at fullback; and most thrilling of all, daughter Mary "Pete" being crowned as UMD's 1953 Homecoming Queen. It was not the first time a Peterson reigned over the festivities for back in 1948, older sister Jeane had the crown placed upon her head.

As I interviewed Mary over a cup of steaming cafeteria brew, her brown eyes danced and said "this was the biggest thrill I have received while at UMD." When those eyes sparkled it was easy to see why she had been chosen to reign as Queen.

When asked for vital statistics, Mary laughed and would only disclose that she was 19, a sophomore, 5'5" tall, and a pre-nursing major. It also was disclosed that she was interested in collecting foreign dolls. Other interests include swimming and sewing. She is a member of the newly formed Aquatics Club on campus.

Mention of the Aquatics club brought to mind other organizations she belongs to. They include Barkers, WAA, Mu Sigma Psi, Inter - fraternity - sorority council and Sigma Psi Gamma.

"Be sure to give my sincerest thanks to the organizations and the students who sponsored me," she reminded me. The organizations were the "M" Club, Barkers, WAA, PEMM'S, Mu Sigma Psi, Phi Delta Pi and Elementary Council. Barbara Young and Marilyn Lyons were co-chairmen of Mary's campaign.

"It was a big enjoyable week-end," was her comment of the many Homecoming activities she reigned over. Mary was crowned in a suspense-filled climax to the Varsity Show.

Saturday, the spotlight of the Homecoming parade was turned on her as she rode past throngs of Duluthians. Crowned a second time before 4,500 fans during half-time ceremonies of the game, Mary was whisked away to appear with Ernest Orchard on WFTV. An appearance at the Homecoming Dance completed a full slate of activities.

Regarding Homecoming, Mary remarked, "it was a very fine Homecoming, even better than last year." Then with a smile and a hope that her father wouldn't hear, she said, "It was all so enjoyable, except for the last quarter of the game."

As the interview came to a close (she very nicely declined buying me a second cup of coffee) she again thanked all those who had made the honor possible. I thought that the thanks should be given to the Petersons for a fine coach, a fine fullback, and a very charming and lovely Homecoming Queen for 1953.

## Campus Coed Considers Career



MARY PETERSON

## Weekly News Bulletin

Tuesday, Oct. 27—Barkers, Main 109, 7:30 p.m.; Non-Residents splash party (tentative, check with Dick Ojakangas).

Wednesday, Oct. 28—Sigma Psi Gamma, 7:30; Newman Club, Holy Rosary, 7:30; Home Economics meeting, Main 313, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 29—World Affairs Council, panel discussion of international problems, convo, and 11 a.m.; Wesley Foundation, Halloween party, Endion Methodist Church, 5:00 p.m.; LSA, First Lutheran Church, 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 31—Football, Augsburg at Duluth, Public Schools Stadium, 8:00 p.m.; Inter-Fraternity Sock Hop, Halloween Dance, Old Main Gymnasium, 10-11 a.m.

Sunday, Nov. 1—Gamma Theta Phi, Washburn, 7:15-8:30 p.m.

November 6 will be the deadline for dropping any course.

The Lost and Found department is now located in Room 109, Washburn Hall.

### SENIORS

The Placement Bureau is now engaged in interviewing seniors. The purpose of such an interview will be to determine how the Bureau can assist seniors with their future plans after graduation. Seniors are advised to check their University post office boxes for the notice of the time and day of their interview. Bachelor of Science seniors will be interviewed during the week of October 26-October 30. Bachelor of Arts seniors will be interviewed later on in November. Seniors are requested to report as scheduled and without fail! Requests for changes of interview time or day should be brought to the Placement Bureau, 211 Main.

## News Briefs

Editor's note—Club presidents who would like news briefs in this column should leave club news in P. O. 761 or bring to STATESMAN office the Monday before the issue of the STATESMAN they want their news printed.

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The Non-Residents club will hold a short business meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28, in Washburn. After the meeting they will go to Torrance for refreshments and dancing. The party is jointly sponsored by Torrance Hall and the Non-Residents club, it was announced by Jack Hautaluoma and Beth Stewart, club presidents.

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The Newman club initiations began with a banquet in Holy Rosary Cathedral clubrooms Wednesday, Oct. 21, with initiation ceremonies following. President Leo LaFrance presided.

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Beta Phi Kappa conducted its weekly dinner meeting Wednesday, Oct. 21. Movies of a canoe trip taken by Dick Ojakangas and Dick Gay were shown. Dick Gay is Beta Phi president.

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The LSA is planning a panel discussion and supper meeting at the Lutheran Welfare Center Thursday, Oct. 29, according to Janet Fransom, LSA president.

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# Bulldogs Edged by St. Thomas in Homecoming

## Sports On Parade

by Arne Moilanen

The Bulldogs must have been a keenly disappointed and dejected bunch of players after the St. Thomas game. A team which reaches a high emotional peak as UMD did after the St. John's tilt and continues in high gear for three periods of another, only to see victory slip from their fingertips, most certainly suffers a terrific letdown.

It must be perplexing to lose ball games in the manner in which our club has this year. Four games have been lost by a total of nine points, to Superior State, 14-13; Macalester, 13-9; Concordia, 27-25; and recently, to St. Thomas, 16-14; and in each, the Bulldogs were leading up to the final minutes of play.

It is very obvious that the Bulldogs lack depth, which means that the regulars are forced to play "iron-man" football under the new regulations. UMD tired very rapidly in the second half and neither their offensive or defensive performances were anywhere near the first half showing. They simply ran out of gas, so to speak.

Perhaps the gridsters could be called the "Hard Luck Kids," but at the same time credit must be given the opposing clubs for capitalizing on crucial breaks and maintaining a fierce spirit of determination.

This was especially true of the Tommies, who, despite a 14-point deficit at the three-quarter mark, bounced back in lightning-like fashion to pull the game out of the fire. Champions are made out of stuff like that.

The Bulldogs are now destined to finish somewhere in the second division of the MIAC gridiron race, having already lost three conference games, with only two tilts remaining. Both Augsburg and St. Mary's, whom UMD meets on Oct. 31 and Nov. 7, respectively, are also second-division teams. Neither game will have any effect on the eventual outcome of the title race.

Each close game has a play or plays which turns the tide of the final outcome. Insofar as the final score was concerned the key play was St. Thomas' recovery of a UMD fumble deep in Bulldog territory which later led to Bob Kosel's successful field goal, but what seemed to hurt UMD most was a penalty against the Bulldogs which all but nullified a pass from Capt. Rol Cloutier to Darrell Warner. Had not the infraction of the rules occurred, UMD would have had possession of the pigskin deep in St. Thomas territory.

As it was, St. Thomas' Jim Fleming intercepted Cloutier's pass and raced 55 yards for a score. Then came the recovered fumble.

## Basketball Practice Set; Seven Monogram Winners Back

Basketball practice begins Monday for the 1953-54 campaign, according to Ray Isenbarger, head coach. Practice sessions will take place in the gymnasium at the new health and physical education building, which will also be the site of all home games this year.

Expected to greet Isenbarger at the opening practice are 7 lettermen from the 1952-53 season. They are Capt. Charles (Chuck) Hiti and Mark Vukelich, Gilbert; Mel Koivisto and Bob Seikkula, Esko; John McKeag, Dennison; and Ed Pajunen, Toivola-Meadowlands. A seventh UMD monogram winner, Bruce Paulson, Moose Lake, a 1950-51

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## Gama Theta Phi Scores Victory

Jack "Light'nin'" Wangenstein paced Gamma Theta Phi fraternity to a 24-0 victory over Beta Phi Kappa in a touch football game last Sunday on the new athletic field.

Wangenstein scored the winners' first touchdown on a 10-yard sprint and passed for the third and fourth touchdowns on pass plays to Dick Lorix and Will Schadewald.

Bruce Halverson tallied Gamma Theta Phi's second six-pointer when he recovered a fumble in the Beta Phi Kappa end zone.

## Grand Rapids Grads Spark Bulldogs

UMD students should inaugurate a day on which to honor the city of Grand Rapids. The reason is simple. This year's football team is graced with three former Rapids athletes whose feats on the gridiron have been largely responsible for the Bulldogs' showing to date.

In the backfield, halfback Darrell (Lefty) Warner has become a constant passing and running threat, while in the line freshman John Bymark, a pleasant surprise at center, and end Dave Erholtz, coming into his own as an offensive ace, are outstanding.

### DARRELL WARNER

Along with halfback Joe Hussey, Warner has become part of the best halfback combination at UMD since 1951. Although this is his first season of college ball, Darrell has been doing all right for himself. In five games, he leads the Bulldogs in total offense and is the Maroon and Gold's top pass receiver. In addition he has scored 24 points.

Scoring touchdowns is nothing new to the versatile Warner. Last year, while performing for Grand

and 1951-52 letter winner, is also expected to try out.

The Bulldogs will be bolstered by three Junior College transfers from the Iron Range, namely Tom Richardson and John Ferkul, both of Gilbert and Virginia J. C.; and Bob McDonald, a Hibbing high school and junior college graduate.

Several former high school stars who will probably answer the call for candidates are Tom Stark, Proctor; Dick Veech, Hermantown; Jerry Wilmot, Duluth Central; Bill Dille, Morgan Park; Dick Ehmke, Willow River; John McKillop, Denfeld; and Jim Juntunen, Esko.

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## Maroon and Gold Blow 14-0 Advantage As Tommies Stage Fourth Period Rally

By JIM COUGHLIN

The UMD Bulldogs, leading 14-0 at the end of three periods of play, were unable to check St. Thomas' comeback in the final quarter as the Tommies tallied 16 quick points to down the

Maroon and Gold, 16-14, before a disappointed Homecoming crowd, estimated at 4,100.

Two touchdowns, one a spectacular 55-yard interception runback, followed by St. Thomas' Bob Kosel's successful field goal from 12 yards

out with four minutes remaining gave St. Thomas the victory.

The Bulldogs opened the game's scoring with a touchdown in the second period. The drive, sparked by Halfback Darrell Warner's 34-yard jaunt to the Tommie 21, was momentarily delayed when a line plunge and two passes garnered only one yard. On the next play, however, Capt. Rol Cloutier tossed a pass to Warner, who stepped into the end zone untouched. Joe Hussey ran for the conversion when he faked a place-

met. The Maroon and Gold's second tally came in the third period after Center John Bymark fell on a punt which a St. Thomas player had handled and fumbled. Two plays later, interference was called on a pass play from Warner to Dave Erholtz and UMD had possession of the ball on the two-yard line. Cloutier plunged for the score and Wally Aunan's placement was good, making the score 14-0.

St. Thomas began their 75-yard touchdown drive in the third period as Kosel found that the UMD secondary was slow on pass defense. With about three minutes gone in the fourth quarter, Kosel tossed 10 yards to end Bill Rogan for the score. Kosel's placement made it 14-7.

Three plays later the Tommies got their second counter when halfback Jim Fleming intercepted Cloutier's pass in the flat and raced 55 yards into the end zone. Owen Beatty blocked the conversion attempt. The score then stood, 14-13, in UMD's favor.

Shortly after the ensuing kickoff, a UMD fumble was recovered by St. Thomas' DuWayne Deitz on the Bulldogs' 20. Three plays brought the ball to a respectable placement position on the 12 from where Kosel booted the three-pointer. The score then read, 16-14, and that's how it stood when the gun sounded.



UMD HALFBACK DARRELL WARNER leading ground gainer for the Bulldogs. "Lefty," a freshman, also leads the Maroon and Gold in scoring with 4 touchdowns for a total of 24 points.

—(Courtesy of the Duluth Herald)

Rapids, he was responsible for saving two seemingly lost contests.

With 23 seconds left in a game with Hibbing, Lefty came through with a touchdown pass which provided the Indians with

a 21-19 win. The following week against Coleraine, he tossed for one score, and then, as the game-ending gun sounded, he picked off a Coleraine aerial and sped 70 yards for the winning score.

Darrell does not confine his athletic prowess to football, competing also in baseball, basketball and track.

### JOHN BYMARK

Only a freshman, John proved a welcome sight when coach Lloyd Peterson saw him perform on the practice field. The problem of finding a center was eliminated when Bymark proved his ability.

John starred with the Grand Rapids Indians last year and was a teammate of Darrell Warner's. Along with Warner, Bymark helped spark the Indians to the 1952 Iron Range Conference championship.

Considered one of the steadyest performers on the squad, John can be easily spotted on the playing field for he wears a nose guard in order to protect recurrence of an old injury.

Besides playing football, Bymark is also adept in hockey, having captained his high school team last winter.

### DAVE ERHOLTZ

Dave, in his third season at UMD, has developed into a steady pass receiving end. Against the Johnnies, he made two sensational catches amidst a flurry of defenders to score a pair of touchdowns which eventually proved the margin of victory.

Last year, while most players were content to play either defense or offense, Dave was employed both ways. This year's rule change was just more ink in the books for Erholtz.

A junior this year, Dave is eligible for another season of varsity ball when the football spotlight comes into focus in 1954.

## Statistics

Individual four-game MIAC totals:

	Rushing		Net	Ave.
	Gains	Losses		
Warner	286	35	251	4.33
Hussey	169	5	251	3.57
Peterson	97	7	90	4.09
Nelson	46	9	37	2.46
Boffa	42	9	33	4.12
Cloutier	59	28	31	1.24
Aunan	16	0	16	2.28
	715	93	622	3.44

	Passing		Com-pleted	Yds.
	At-tempts			
Cloutier	48		20	270
Warner	11		3	58
Hussey	3		1	13
Peterson	2		1	12
Loy	1		1	11
	65		26	364

	Total Offense		Total	Ave.
	Rush-ing	Pass-ing		
Warner	251	58	309	77.55
Cloutier	31	270	301	75.25
Hussey	164	13	177	44.25
Peterson	90	12	102	25.50
Nelson	37	0	37	9.25
Boffa	33	0	33	8.25
Aunan	16	0	16	4.00
Loy	0	11	11	2.75
	622	364	986	244

	Pass Receiving		No.	Yds.
Warner			8	111
Erholtz			10	101
Beatty			6	100
Hussey			1	50
Nelson			1	2
			26	364

	Punting		No.	Yds.	Ave.
Hussey			10	269	26.8
Aunan			10	57	28.5
Warner			1	39	39

	Scoring		Touch-downs	Extra Points	T.
Warner			4	0	24
Erholtz			3	0	18
Peterson			2	0	12
Cloutier			2	0	12
Boffa			1	0	6
Aunan			0	6	6
Hussey			0	3	3

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